

REMARKS

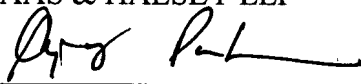
Claims 1 – 14 and new claims 15 – 21 are pending in this application. Claims 3 and 8 have been withdrawn. No new matter has been introduced. Applicants have inserted the text of withdrawn claims 3 and 8 inadvertently left out in the Amendment filed on September 7, 2007 into the **Listing of the Claims** section of this paper. Applicants incorporate herein by reference the remarks submitted in the Amendment filed on September 7, 2007. Prompt and favorable consideration on the merits is earnestly solicited.

No fees are believed to be due for the filing of this Amendment. However, if any fees are due or an overpayment of fees made, please debit or credit our Deposit Account No. 19-3935, as needed.

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